TOWN OF FLORENCE SPECIAL MEETING AGENDA

Mayor Tara Walter Vice-Mayor John Anderson Councilmember Karen Wall Councilmember Kristen Larsen Councilmember Michelle Cordes Councilmember Judy Hughes



Florence Town Hall 775 N. Main Street Florence, AZ 85132 (520) 868-7500 www.florenceaz.gov Meet 1st and 3rd Mondays

Tuesday, May 12, 2020

6:00 PM

Pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.02, notice is hereby given to the Town of Florence Council and to the general public that a Special Meeting of the Florence Town Council will be held on Tuesday, May 12, 2020, at 6:00 p.m., telephonically. The agenda for this meeting is as follows:

SPECIAL NOTICE REGARDING PUBLIC MEETINGS

Due to the risks to public health caused by the possible spread of the COVID-19 virus at public gatherings, the Town of Florence has determined that public meetings will be indefinitely held through technological means. Meetings will be open to the public through technological means. In reliance on, and in compliance with, the March 13, 2020 Opinion issued by Attorney General Mark Brnovich, and in conjunction with the Emergency Proclamation signed by Mayor Tara Walter, on March 18, 2020. The Town of Florence provides this special advance notice of the technological means through which public meetings may be accessed. While this special notice is in effect, public comment at meetings will only be accepted through written submissions, which may or may not be read aloud during meetings.

To attend the meeting noticed below by technological means, members of the public may:

- 1. Access the link to watch a video stream on the Town website: www.FlorenceAZ.gov/tv or view the meeting live on Cox TV Channel 11.
- 2. To call in and listen, please dial:

US: +1 346 248 7799 or +1 669 900 6833

Webinar ID: 824 7139 8275

Password: 244374

Members of the public may submit written comments relating to this meeting to Town Clerk Lisa Garcia by emailing <u>lisa.garcia@florenceaz.gov</u> at any time until one hour prior to the posted start time for the meeting. Please be sure to include your name and address for the record as well as the meeting date (and Agenda Item #, if applicable) in the subject of your email.

If any member of the public has difficulty connecting to the meeting, they are invited to contact the Town of Florence Information Technology Helpdesk at (520) 868-7543.

The agenda for this meeting is as follows:

1. CALL TO ORDER

2. ROLL CALL: Tara Walter, John Anderson, Karen Wall, Kristen Larsen, Michelle Cordes, Judy Hughes

3. ADJOURNMENT TO EXECUTIVE SESSION

For the purposes of discussions or consultations with designated representatives of the public body and/or legal counsel pursuant to A.R.S. Sections 38-431.03 (A)(1), (A)(3), and (A)(4) to consider its position and instruct its representatives and/or attorneys regarding:

- a. Town's position and instruct its attorneys regarding pending litigation in Maricopa County Superior Court: Town of Florence v. Florence Copper, Inc. CV2015-000325, including counterclaims.
- b. Town's position and instruct its attorneys regarding Arizona Department of Environmental Quality proceedings, related to Water Quality Appeals Board Case No. 16-002, including appellate proceedings to reviewing courts.
- c. Discussion on possible contract negotiations with Magma Flood Control District.

4. ADJOURNMENT FROM EXECUTIVE SESSION

5. ADJOURNMENT

Council may go into Executive Session at any time during the meeting for the purpose of obtaining legal advice from the Town's Attorney(s) on any of the agenda items pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(3). One or more members of Council may appear for part or all of the meeting including Executive Session telephonically.

POSTED ON MAY 11, 2020, BY LISA GARCIA, TOWN CLERK, AT 775 NORTH MAIN STREET, FLORENCE, ARIZONA, AND AT <u>WWW.FLORENCEAZ.GOV</u>.

PURSUANT TO TITLE II OF THE AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT (ADA), THE TOWN OF FLORENCE DOES NOT DISCRIMINATE ON THE BASIS OF DISABILITY REGARDING ADMISSION TO PUBLIC MEETINGS. PERSONS WITH A DISABILITY MAY REQUEST REASONABLE ACCOMMODATIONS BY CONTACTING THE TOWN OF FLORENCE ADA COORDINATOR, AT (520) 868-7574 OR (520) 868-7502 TDD. REQUESTS SHOULD BE MADE AS EARLY AS POSSIBLE TO ALLOW TIME TO ARRANGE THE ACCOMMODATION.